

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL MEMORANDUM**

**SB 1574 - HB 2153**

February 22, 2016

**SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL:** Establishes a payment plan option for licensees seeking reinstatement licensure from a board under the Division of Health Related Boards.

This option is only available to licensees whose licensure revocation resulted from failure to register and pay the annual registration fee as provided in Tenn. Code Ann. § 63-1-107(c) and having shown good cause for such failure.

Reinstatement may be attained by submitting a written application and complying with a plan to make periodic payments to the appropriate Board for any past due renewal fees and attaining continuing education requirements. The Division is required to develop the payment plan system for arrearages of renewal fees and continuing education attainment. An effective date of July 1, 2016.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:**

NOT SIGNIFICANT

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (012564):** Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Prohibits any board of the Division of Health Related Boards from charging a late renewal fee amount that is in excess of twice the amount of the normal renewal fee.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:**

**Unchanged from the original fiscal note.**

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 63-1-107(d), any licensee who fails to register and pay the applicable registration fee which subsequently results in a license revocation may reinstate such license by paying all past due renewal fees and a sum as set by the Division of Health Related Boards.

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- It is assumed that this legislation will not significantly alter the policies of any board administratively attached to the Division of Health Related Boards.
- This legislation will not increase the current number of reinstatements processed by boards under the Division of Health Related Boards.
- Any reduction in fee revenue to the Health Related Boards is estimated to be not significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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